

DON'T STOP MY PAPER!

Don't stop my paper, printer,
Don't strike my name off yet;
You know the times are stringent,
And dollars hard to get;
But tugs a little harder
Is what I mean to do,
And scrounge the dimes together,
Enough for me and you.

I can't afford to drop it;
I find it does not pay
To do without a paper,
However others may.
I hate to ask my neighbors
To give me theirs on loan;
They don't just say, but mean it,
Why don't you have your own?

You can't tell how we miss it,
If it by any fate,
Should happen not to reach us,

Or comes a little late;

Then all is in a hubbub,

And things go all awry,

And, printer, if you're married
You know the reason why.

I cannot do without it,

It is no use to try,

For other people take it,

And, printer, so must I.

I, too, must keep my post,

And know what is going on,

Or feel, and be accounted

A giddy simpleton.

Then, take it kindly, printer,

If pay is somewhat slow,

And wants not so plenty,

But I must have my paper,

Cost what it may to me,

I'd rather dock my sugar,

And do without my tea.

So, printer, don't you stop it,

Unless you want myrown,

For here's the year's subscription,

And credit it right down,

And send the paper promptly

And regularly on,

And let it bring us weekly

Its welcome lesson.

—*Printers' Circular.*

LETTER FROM PIT KNOXWORSH.

WILGROUNTVILLE, Jan. 1, 1879.

MR. DURLING.—Wid'r amesi sin de Grish'dawg un de Neiyor ferbi, un wer was wer noch do is bis wid'r Grish'dawg un Neiyor do sin. En monches woos g'sund un fralich wörk'kon's nagshd mol uf Grish'dawg, un Neiyor do si. De Royal man's wol os de dat noch fuifzich yor lawa, ich hob'r a nor'ksawt dos se ut not so nor' shwets. No but he g'mant oes war net narisher un in fact net so narish as we de woong en gons'a noch rum lawfa dat'a un Belsnik'l acta. Wel'd hrt'ut se aw reckt; un s'ut aw mit noch am reckt un des is dos se secht es war net, nodwenich dos mer'uf Grish'dawg un Neiyor fun wårdschousezwårdshouselav-fa un en sou fun sich mocha dat. Wel'd d'rt dreft de Royal mich zimlich wileich in a grog-shop kuma bin un bin aw in a suf kuma, no hab ich New York cishters un New Jersey klem's gesa het ich Pensilvaniisch sourkraut un Ohio shun-kashaf kota het ich's aw noch gesa. Ow'r so hab ich's net kota no hab ich's net gesa. Sel'r groughop woo ich drin wor is net weit fum Zuk'r'ek, un won'n'nt net oicht gekht kon m'r net fin. Won'n'nt mol d'rt is kon m'r gut kema, whu shunst in d'r welt ken so blots ma zu fina is woo de hum mit'm shwos blofa os we do un de luftgerifer sin aw fun dena woow mama's war nimond shunst os we se. Dale fun unsara towns-lite sin in favor for unsar blots un's Zuk'r'el zoma shmeisa in a government. Ow'r for sel bin ich net in favor, doch geb ich ken drecent drum we's gat. We'r sana kent im report fun d'r letsha census fun unsara blots un em Zuk'r'el wara de blots gros g'hunk for 'n city. Un do will ich don der census gewa fun Wilgrountville un 'm Zuk'r'el. Fred Dophil un raw, mit finf kiner—drei d'fun noch bi lava zusoma ninea. Honycr' Knoveloch, fraw, un drei kiner—an's do un drei noch net g'bora zusoma oecta. Jeck Honsmortau un raw, mit siva kiner. Bil Gutschel un de Bevy Shnef woo of em bli berg fersula sin. Pit Shdink un raw, un en uncle, d'r se olla g'b'ut b'sucht, zusome drei. Pit Stolperlots, raw un dreiza kiner—siva d'fun noch bi lava, zusoma finfunzwon sich. Un ork fel on'a lita de noch kuma wons amol 'n city is. John Krotz' n' bu fun ochtzich yor, zusoma ans. Total fun d'r gonsa shipshot dreunsivizich.

PIT KNOXWORSH.

—A German, telling the story of his campaign, gives the following interesting items: In a battle he lost the brave Captain Schilder. A comrade had took off his hand. His last words were, "Thou art a man more himself than I."

"Don't you love her still?" asked the judge to a man who wanted a divorce. "Certainly I do," said he. "I love her better than any other way; but the trouble is she never be still." The judge, who is a man more himself than I,"

An old gentleman of 84 and his bride, aged 82, entered a railway car the other day and took a seat by the stove. A youth occupying a seat behind says he overheard the following: "old gentleman to his bride—Who's a 'title lamb?'—Bride—Babe of us."

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